Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A tub protection bolt of for a washing machine, comprising:

 a screwed shaft penetrating configured to penetrate a cabinet of the washing machine to be coupled with a boss of a tub; and
- a head part at one end of the screwed shaft to have having a narrow cut-away portion holding configured to hold a power cable of the washing machine by insertion.
- 2. (Original) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 1, the head part comprising: a head at the one end of the screwed shaft; a flange extending outward from an outer circumference of the head; and the narrow cut-away portion provided from an outer circumference of the flange toward the head.
- 3. (Original) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 2, the cut-away portion comprising:
- an insertion portion provided from the outer circumference of the flange in a direction of a center of the head; and
 - a fixing portion bent from an end of the insertion portion.

- 4. (Currently Amended) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 3, wherein an outer circumference side of the flange contouring the insertion portion is <u>formed</u> wider than an opposite side of the insertion portion adjacent the head.
- 5. (Original) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 3, wherein an outside corner of the flange meeting the insertion portion is rounded.
- 6. (Original) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 3, wherein the fixing portion is formed rounded along a direction of rotating the head part when the screwed shaft is screwed or unscrewed.
- 7. (Original) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 3, wherein the fixing portion is formed along a direction that the power cable inserted in the fixing portion naturally moves toward the insertion portion when the head rotates in a direction of unscrewing the screwed shaft.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a washer provided between the head part and the cabinet to have having a predetermined thickness.

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- 9. (Original) The tub protection bolt as claimed in claim 1, wherein the power cable includes a protrusion extending an outer circumference of the power cable to lie between the head part and the cabinet when the power cable is inserted in the cut-away portion.
 - (Currently Amended) A washing machine, comprising:
 a cabinet;
- a tub in the cabinet to have having at least one boss protruding from an outside of the tube tub;

a protection bolt comprising:

and

a screwed shaft penetrating configure to penetrate the cabinet of the washing machine to be coupled with the at least one boss of the tub; and

a head part at one end of the screwed shaft to have having a narrow cutaway portion holding configured to hold a power cable of the washing machine by insertion;

an at least one elastic members member suspending the tub in the cabinet;

a drum rotatably installed in the tub.

- 11. (Original) The washing machine as claimed in claim 10, the head part comprising: a head at the one end of the screwed shaft;
 - a flange extending outward from an outer circumference of the head; and

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the narrow cut-away portion provided from an outer circumference of the flange toward the head.

12. (Original) The washing machine as claimed in claim 11, the cut-away portion comprising:

an insertion portion provided from the outer circumference of the flange in a direction of a center of the head; and

a fixing portion bent from an end of the insertion portion.

- 13. (Original) The washing machine as claimed in claim 12, wherein an outer circumference side of the flange contouring the insertion portion is wider than an opposite side.
- 14. (Original) The washing machine as claimed in claim 12, wherein an outside corner of the flange meeting the insertion portion is rounded.
- 15. (Original) The washing machine as claimed in claim 12, wherein the fixing portion is formed rounded along a direction of rotating the head part when the screwed shaft is screwed or unscrewed.
- 16. (Original) The washing machine as claimed in claim 12, wherein the fixing portion is formed along a direction that the power cable inserted in the fixing portion naturally moves

toward the insertion portion when the head rotates in a direction of unscrewing the screwed shaft.

- 17. (Currently Amended) The washing machine as claimed in claim 10, further comprising a washer provided between the head part and the cabinet to have having a predetermined thickness.
- 18. (Currently Amended) The washing machine as claimed in claim 10, wherein the power cable includes a protrusion extending <u>around</u> an outer circumference of the power cable <u>and configured</u> to lie between the head part and the cabinet when the power cable is inserted in <u>into</u> the cut-away portion.